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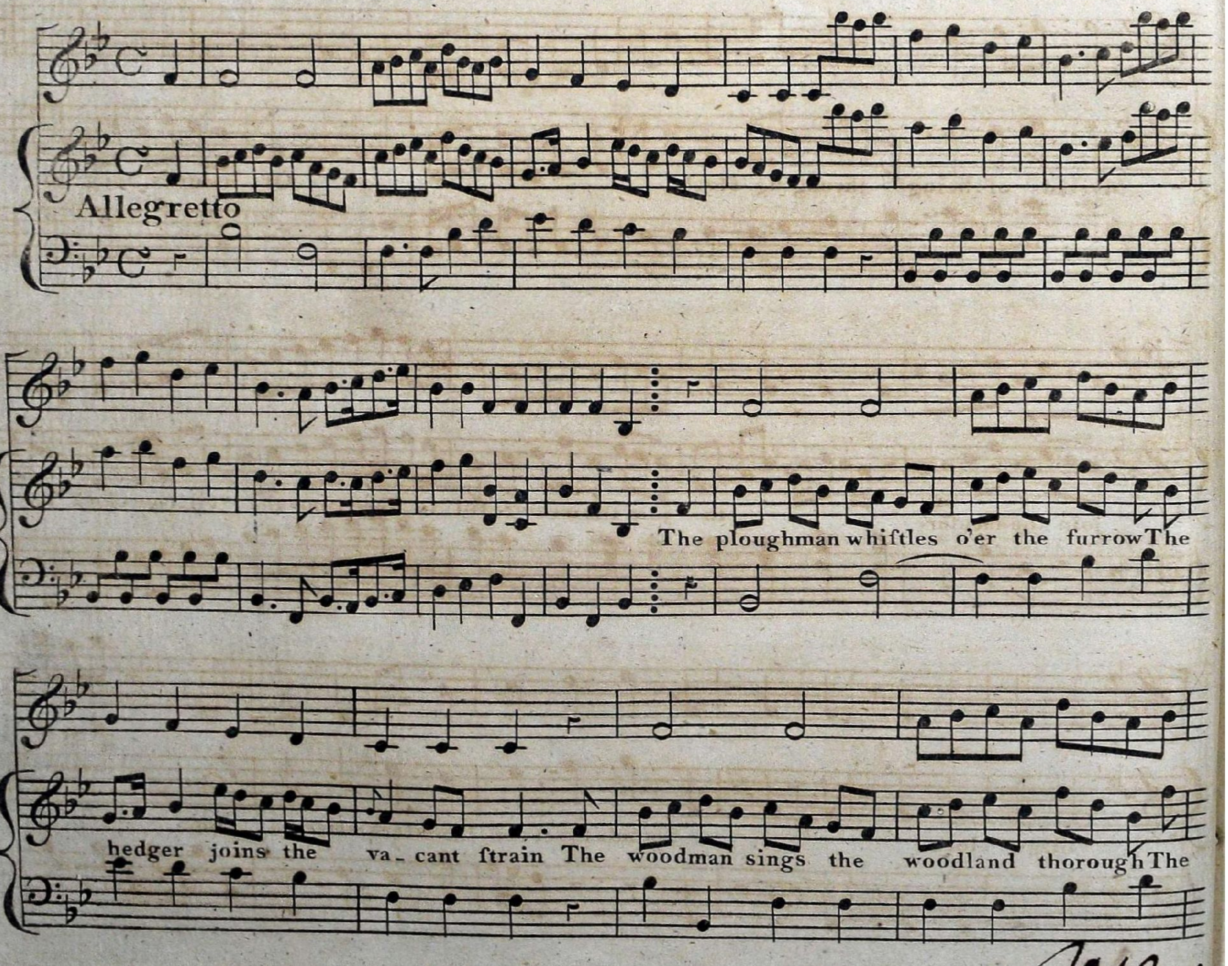
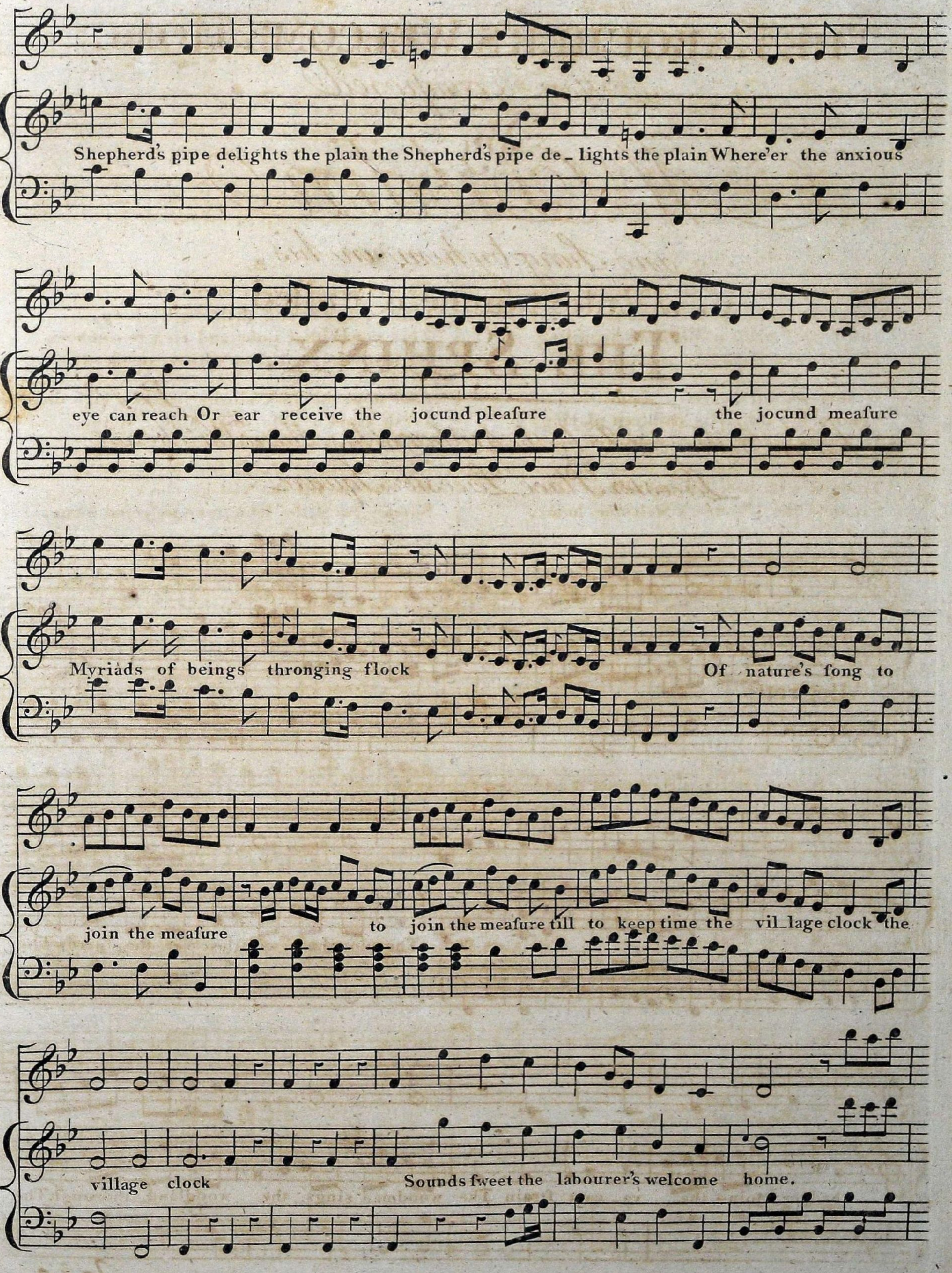
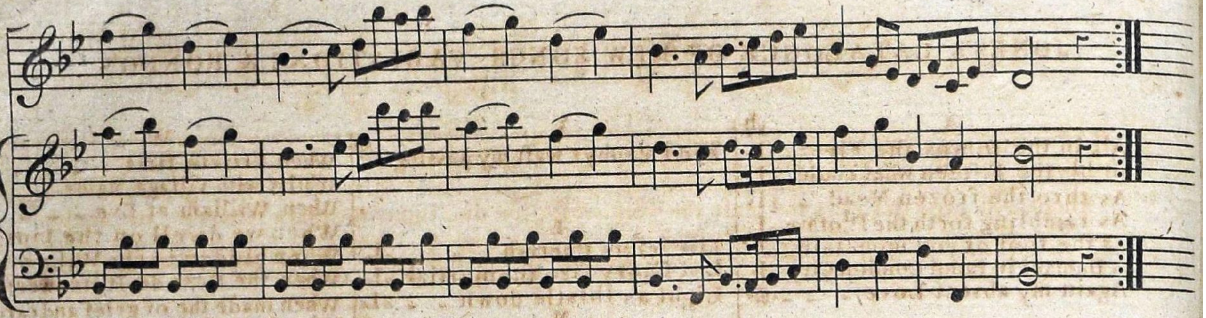



Shepherd's pipe delights the plain the Shepherd's pipe de_ lights the plain Where'er the anxious
eye can reach Or ear receive the jocund pleasure the jocund meafure
Myriads of beings thronging flock Of nature's fong to
join the meafure to join the meafure till to keep time the vil_lage clock the
village clock Sounds fweet the labourer's welcome home.



2.

The hearth swept clean, his partner smiling,
Upon the shining table smokes
The frugal meal; while, time beguiling,
The ale the harmless jest provokes.

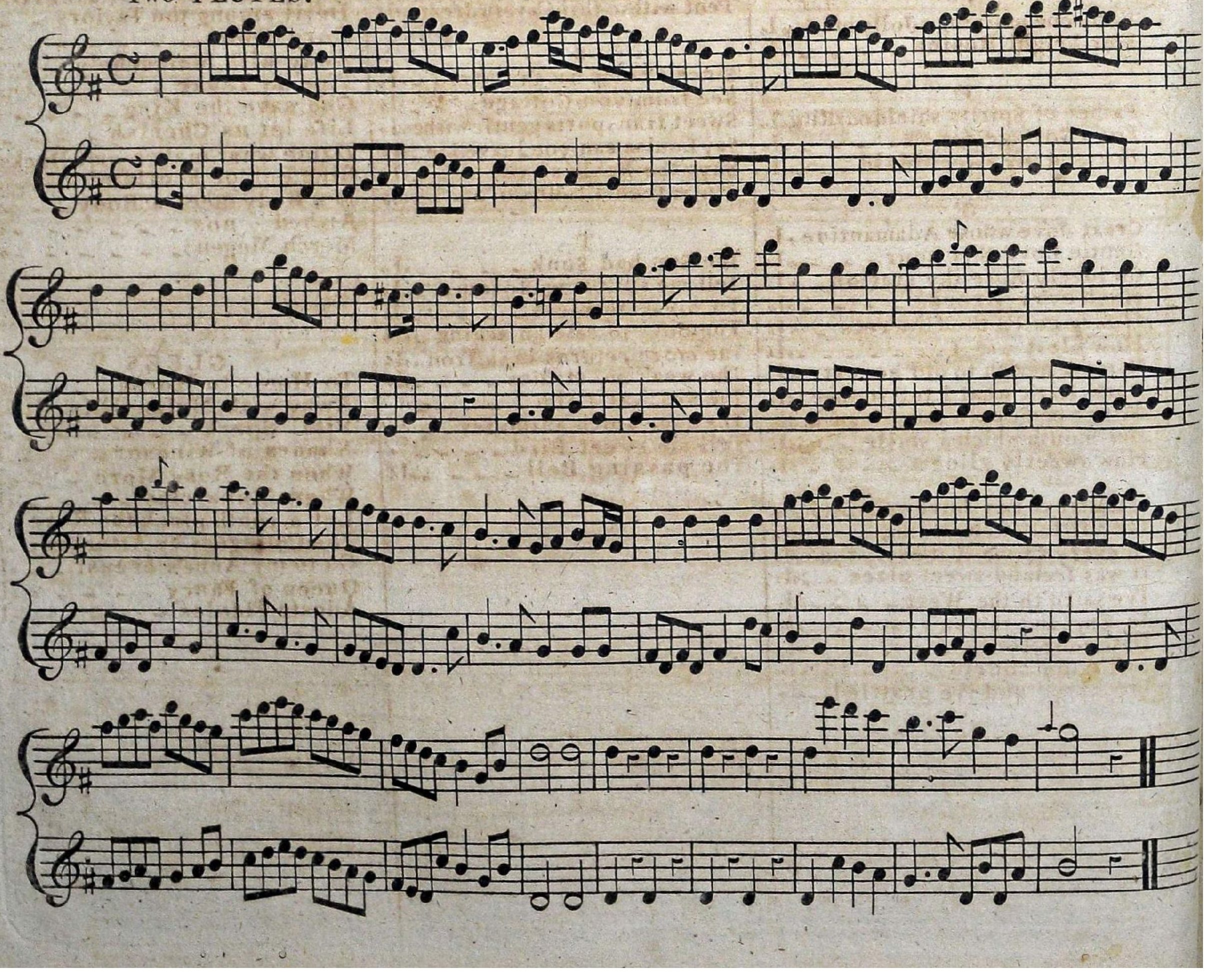
Ye inmates of the lofty dome
Admire his lot—His children playing,
To share his smiles around him flock,
And faithful Tray, since morn that straying
Trudged with him, till the village clock
Sounded the labourer's welcome home.

3.

The cheering faggot burnt to embers,
While lares round their vigils keep,
That power that poor and rich remembers
Each thanks and then retires to sleep.

And now, the lark climbs heaven's high dome,
Fresh from repose toil's kind reliever,
And furnished with his daily stock,
His dog, his staff, his keg, his beaver,
He travails, till the village clock
Sounds, sweet, the labourer's welcome home.

Two FLUTES.



JONES'S CATALOGUE OF NEW SONGS VARIATIONS & RONDO'S

A
sh.

- All in the Downs the Fleet — 1
- At blythe Fifteen what could — 1
- As thro the frozen Mead — 1
- As rambling forth the 1st of May — 1
- At the foot of yon mountain — 1
- A Damsel in famd London City — 1
- Again my absent Love — 2

B

- Beneath the spangled beams — 1
- Beneath a Churchyard yew — 1
- Born in yon blaze of orient Sky — 1
- By him we love offended — 1
- By this fountains flow'ry side — 1

C

- Can the willow ah! say — 1
- Come listen my worthies — 1

D

- Dear Betsy Dear Betsy — 1
- Doubt that the Stars are — 1

E
Tar

- Early one morning a Jolly brisk — 1
- E'er bright Rosina — 1

F

- Father of Spirits shield our King — 1
- From Cottage couch — 1
- For you my sweet Maid — 1

G

- Great Jove whose Adamantine — 1
- Gentle Love this hour — 1
- Go lovely Rose thy station — 1
- Hush ev'ry Breeze — 1
- Henry cull'd the flowrets — 1
- How blest was I — 1
- Heres a health to old honest — 1
- Hark Hark what I tell to thee — 1
- Hither come each laughing phiz — 1
- Her mouth which a smile — 1
- How sweetly glide — 1

I

- If distress can move your pity — 1
- Ive oft felt a smattring — 1
- In every Clime & at every time — 1
- It was Ireland sweet place — 1
- I've sail'd to the West — 1
- In England the soil — 1
- If tender looks — 1
- In Gaudy courts — 1
- I've kiss'd and i've prattled — 1

K
sh.

- Kind Zephyr waft my passing — 1

L

- Life let us Cherish — 1
- Let Glory fire the martial — 1
- Light as thistle down — 1

M

- My Boys would you know — 1

N

- Now while my heart is young — 1
- Now's the Season for laughing — 1
- Not the soft sighs of vernal — 1
- Oh hear a poor sad — 1
- Oh! thou to whom my vows — 1
- Oh! what a great flutter — 1
- Oh! what a horrid sensation — 1
- Of all the Girls that are so fair — 1
- One Ev'ning at ambrosial feast — 1
- Oh! where and Oh! where — 1
- Our fore-topsail loose — 1
- Oh should I escape — 1

P

- Pent within this Cavern drear — 1

S

- Since France has threatned — 1
- See from yon Cottage — 1
- Sweet transports gentle wishes — 1
- Say Louisa can you leave me — 1
- Says the Fable so pat — 1
- Since then i'm doom'd — 1

T

- The Sun had Sunk — 1
- Tell me flutt'ring Bosom — 1
- To bless to bless — 1
- The Dove to ease an aching — 1
- The morn returns in saffron — 1
- Tho weak my strains — 1
- The Sea was Calm — 1
- The hope which animates — 1
- Tell me sweet Bird — 1
- The passing Bell — 1

W
sh.

- When Britain first — 1
- Whilst with Village Maids — 1
- When William at Eve — 1
- When we dwell on the Lips — 1
- When bidden to the Wake or — 1
- When the Rose dealt its sweets — 1
- When made the of grief and care — 1
- Why Fair Maid — 1
- When Innocence and Beauty — 1
- Well! here I am to tell — 1
- Welcome Laura to the plain — 1
- Wav'd by the earliest gale — 1
- Wrapt in the Evenings — 1
- When Henry Monarch — 1
- Why sleeps the Antient Spirit — 1
- With sorrow and repentance — 1
- When forc'd from Sue — 1

Y

- Ye little Songsters of the grove — 1
- Yon wasting Taper when I see — 1
- Ye Gods why will ye sport with us — 1
- Ye Swains and the Virgins so gay — 1

RONDOS & VARIATIONS

- Devil among the Taylors — 1/6
- Cory Owen — 1
- Away with Melancholy — 1/6
- Pipe de Tabac — 1
- God save the King — 1
- Life let us Cherish — 1
- Dame what makes your Ducks — 1
- Blue Bell of Scotland — 1/6
- If a Body meet a Body — 1
- Ar hyd y nos — 1/6
- Merch Megen — 1/6

GLEES

- To Horse to Horse — 2
- Away with Melancholy — 1/6
- Vital Spark — 1
- Shades of Windsor — 1
- When the Rosy Morn — 1
- When Menalclas — 1
- Let a youth pluck the Rose — 1
- The Cottagers by Atterbury — 1
- Go to my Anna's breast — 1
- Queen of Fancy — 1
- Adeste Fideles — 1